GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA

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PROMOTION OF SSI IN BIHAR
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Will the Minister of SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken during the last three years to promote small scale industries in Bihar and the year-wise amount spent thereon; and

(b) the future plan of the Government to promote small scale industries in Bihar?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES, MINISTER OI IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING,DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND PENSIONERS` WELFA THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND SPACE (SMT. VASUNDHARA RAJE)

(a) & (b): For the promotion of Small Scale Industries (SSI) in the country including Bihar, the Government is implementing various schemes/ programmes viz., Integrated Infrastructural Development (IID) Scheme, Enterpreneurial, Managerial Training Programmes and Technical Skill Development Programmes through Small Industries Service Institutes (SISIs), Tool Rooms, etc. Besides Government has also announced a Comprehensive Policy Package on 30.08.2000, which, inter-alia, includes enhanced fiscal and credit support, better infrastructure, marketing facilities and incentives for Technology Upgradation. A Credit Guarantee Trust Fund has also been created which provides guarantee for bank loans to SSI units upto Rs. 25.00 lakhs without collaterals. A scheme to provide 12% capital subsidy on projects of Technology Upgradation by SSI units in the specified sectors/ sub-sectors is also being implemented. In the State of Bihar, there are two SISIs; one at Patna and the other at Muzaffarpur. These SISIs provide the Entrepreneurship/ Managerial/ Skill Development Training, consultancy, project profiles, extension services and common facilities to the Small Scale Entrepreneurs. Funds are allocated/spent, Scheme/Programme-wise and not State-wise.